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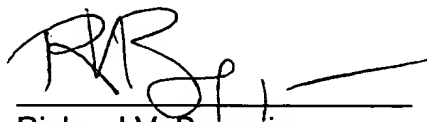
Applicants hereby petition for a two-month extension of time to reply to the Office Action dated December 21, 1998. A fee of \$380.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

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